टेलीफोन टेप किए जाने के संबंध में केंद्रीय जांच ब्यूरो की रिपोर्ट

178. श्रीमती सूर्यकांता पाटील : क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो ने अपनी रिपोर्ट में इस बात की पुष्टि की है कि कुछ राजनेताओं के टेलीफोन टेप किये गए थे;

(ख) यदि हां, तो रिपोर्ट का ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(ग) इस सम्बन्ध में सरकार का इरादा क्या है ?

संचार संबंधी राज्य मंत्री (श्री जनेश्वर मिश्र) : (क) इस संबंध में केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो की जांच का कार्य अभी पूरा नहीं हुआ है।

(ख) और (ग) उपर्युक्त (क) में दिए गए उत्तर को देखते हुए प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता।

T.V. transmitter and studio in Shillong

179. SHRI G. G. SWELL: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Minister for Information and Broadcasting visited Shillong in 1989 and inaugurated the TV transmitter and the Doordarshan Studio there;

(b) the wattage of the transmitter in Shillong and the wattage of the transmitter in another Meghalaya town, Tura;

(c) whether the Doordarshan studio in Shillong has started functioning; and

(d) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. UPENDRA): (a) The high power TV transmitter at Shillong was inaugurated in September, 1989 by the then Minister of Information and Broadcasting and Parliamentary Affairs.

(b) The TV transmitters functioning at Shillong and Tura are of 1 KW and 10 KW radiating power respectively.

(c) and (d) No, Sir. The reason is non-availability of staff.

Ram Janam Bhoomi—Babri Masjid dispute

180. MISS. SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the VHP has agreed to abide by the law of the land in respect of Ram Janam Bhoomi-Babri Masjid dispute;

(b) whether they have also agreed to abide by the verdict of the Allahabad High Court in the matter; and

(c) if so, what steps are proposed to be taken by Government to resolve the dispute once for all?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) and (b) The Vishwa Hindu Parishad leaders have announced that the Ram Janam Bhoomi-Babri Masjid issue involves religious sentiments and therefore, the dispute is not justiciable in the court of law. According to them the issue is beyond the court jurisdiction as it is a matter of faith.

(c) It is the considered view of the Government that the issue can be resolved in a spirit of mutual accommodation by building a national consensus. With this in view, Government had constituted a three-Member Committee to talk with the various groups in order to find an amicable solution. Discussions with the religious leaders and others connected with the issue were also held to resolve the issue. It is the firm resolve of the Government to settle the issue through negotiations without any precipitate action pending a decision of the Court.